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Applicant : Hugh R. Sharkey et al. Art Unit : 3739  
Serial No. : 09/664,473 Examiner : David M. Shay  
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Title : IN VIVO FORMED THERMALLY CONTRACTED COLLAGEN TISSUE

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF JUNE 15, 2006

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: